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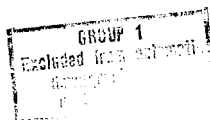
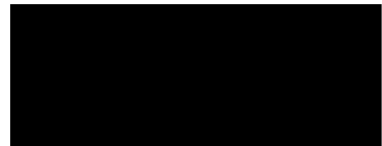
MEMORANDUM FOR: D/OBI

SUBJECT: State Support of NIS Production

The Department of State reviews certain draft sections of the General Survey as well as some of the supplementary NIS units. For purposes of State review about four copies of the NIS elements are furnished the State Department NIS Coordinator by the producing agencies. One copy of each draft is delivered by the Coordinator to the appropriate INR regional office, to the geographic bureau concerned, and, via pouch, to the appropriate embassy or consulate. Field stations are expected to forward comments to the Coordinator within six weeks.

In addition, the State NIS Coordinator prepares and transmits an instruction informing each principal foreign post of any Sociological, and Economic (non Communist) sections and General Survey scheduled for the particular country and asks that the post bring up to date its supply of relevant information to Washington and prepare itself to comment upon the drafts when available.

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